P R O C L A M A T I O N

WHEREAS, the future progress and prosperity of South Dakota is dependent to a great degree upon the skills and efforts of those citizens who operate the many farms of the State; and

WHEREAS, the Future Farmers of America organization is composed of boys who are studying Vocational Agriculture in public secondary schools as preparation for careers in farming; and

WHEREAS, the major purposes of the Future Farmers of America organization are to develop leadership, encourage coppera-tion, promote good citizenship, teach sound methods of farming and inspire patriotism among the members; and

WHEREAS, South Dakota now has seventy-seven chapters of the organization, with more than three thousand active members; and

WHEREAS, the members of the Future Farmers of America perform valuable community services and provide important leader-ship in developing our agricultural economy and in building a better State;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, ARCHIE GUBBRUD, Governor of the State of South Dakota, do hereby proclaim the week beginning February 18, 1961 to be

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and urge all citizens to take notice of the many contributions of the Future Farmers of our state and to encourage in every possible way the further growth of this splendid organization for our farm youth.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of South Dakota to be affixed this thirty-first day of January, 1961.

Archie Gubbrud
Governor of South Dakota

ATTEST:

Secretary of State

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